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REPORT

[To accompany H.R. 4587]

The Committee on Appropriations, to which was referred the bill (H.R. 4587) making appropriations for the Legislative Branch for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1989, and for other purposes, reports the bill to the Senate with amendments, and presents herewith an explanation of the contents of the amended bill.

AMOUNT OF NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY

Amount of bill as reported to Senate	$1,767,831,200
President's budget, 1989	1,964,329,200
Legislative Branch appropriations, 1988	1,745,501,500
Amount of bill below President's budget	196,498,000
Amount of bill above Legislative Branch appropriations, 1988	22,329,700

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GENERAL STATEMENT AND SUMMARY

The Committee recommends new budget (obligational) authority of $1,767,831,200 for the Legislative Branch for fiscal year 1989. This total is $196,498,000 below the President's request, and $22,329,700 above the fiscal year 1988 level.

In its effort to hold down Federal spending, the Committee has sought to ensure that the Legislative Branch is subject to the same spending constraints as the remainder of the Federal Government. This bill achieves that goal.

TITLE I—CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS

SENATE

MILEAGE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT AND SENATORS AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCES OF THE VICE PRESIDENT, THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS, MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS, AND CHAIRMEN OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

MILEAGE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT AND SENATORS

1988 appropriation	$60,000
1989 budget estimate	60,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	60,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $60,000 for mileage of the Vice President and Senators.

The mileage allowance for Senators is authorized by the act of July 28, 1866 (2 U.S.C. 43), payable "* * * at the rate of 20 cents per mile, to be estimated by the nearest route usually traveled in going to and returning from each regular session."

The mileage allowance for the Vice President is authorized by the act of July 8, 1935 (2 U.S.C. 43a), and is payable "* * * at the same rate and in the same manner as now allowed by law to Senators * * *."

Additional official transportation expenses of Senators are reimbursed from and charged against each individual Senator's official office expense account.

EXPENSE ALLOWANCES OF THE VICE PRESIDENT, THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE, MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS, MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS, AND CHAIRMEN OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

1988 appropriation	$56,000
1989 budget estimate	56,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	56,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $56,000 for the expense allowances of the Vice President, the President pro tempore of the Senate, the Majority and Minority Leaders, the Majority and Minority Whips, and the Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees.

The expense allowance of the Vice President, now $10,000, was first provided by Public Law 81–71, effective January 20, 1949.

The expense allowance of the President pro tempore, $10,000, was first provided by the Second Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1978 (Public Law 95–355), effective October 1, 1977.

The expense allowance of the Majority and Minority Leaders, now $10,000 for each leader, was first provided by Public Law 84–242, effective July 1, 1955.

The expense allowance of the Majority and Minority Whips was first provided by the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1977, Public Law 95–26, effective April 1, 1977 and is now $5,000 for each whip.

The expense allowance of $6,000 for the Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees was provided in Public Law 99–88, effective August 15, 1985, the Supplemental Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 1985. The amount provided is to be equally divided between the two chairmen.

REPRESENTATION ALLOWANCES FOR THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

1988 appropriation	$20,000
1989 budget estimate	20,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	20,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $20,000 for representation allowances for the Majority and Minority Leaders. This allowance was established in the Supplemental Appropriations Act for Fiscal Year 1985 (Public Law 99–88), and is to be used by the Majority and Minority Leaders solely for the discharge of their appropriate responsibilities in the United States to members of foreign legislative bodies and prominent officials of foreign governments and intergovernmental agencies. The recommended amount is to be divided equally between the two leaders.

Salaries, Officers and Employees

1988 appropriation	$196,196,700
1989 budget estimate	81,925,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	49,255,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $49,255,000 for the 12 subaccounts funded under the overall account for the salaries of officers and employees of the Senate. The total amount recommended is a decrease of $146,941,700 from the amount available for fiscal year 1988. The reduction is due to the transfer of the account "Administrative, Clerical and Legislative Assistance to Senators," along with related agency contributions, to the new account "Senators' Official Personnel and Office Expense Account," and by the transfer of the Capitol Police Senate detail to a joint item. These new accounts are explained later in the report.

The 12 subaccounts funded under this heading provide funds for all Senate officers and employees, with the exception of the Office of Senate Legislative Counsel, the Office of the Senate Legal Counsel, and employees of standing, select, joint, and policy committees.

The total amount appropriated is allocated to the various offices of the Senate as displayed under the following headings:

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

1988 appropriation	$1,145,000
1989 budget estimate	1,168,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	1,168,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $1,168,000 to fund the salaries of the administrative and clerical staff of the Office of the Vice President. This amount is $23,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. This increase is consistent with the budget summit agreement of November 20, 1987.

OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

1988 appropriation	$153,000
1989 budget estimate	156,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	156,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $156,000 for the staff of the Office of the President pro tempore. This is $3,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. This amount is below the allowable increase assumed in the budget summit agreement of November 20, 1987.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE

1988 appropriation	$90,000
1989 budget estimate	92,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	23,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $23,000 for the Office of the Deputy President pro tempore, established under authority of Senate Resolution 90, agreed to January 28, 1987. The amount recommended will fund this office through the expiration of the current authorization.

OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY LEADERS

1988 appropriation	$1,388,000
1989 budget estimate	1,416,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	1,416,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $1,416,000 for the offices of the Majority and Minority Leaders, the same as the request and $28,000 more than the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. The administrative and clerical staffs funded by this appropriation were authorized under the provisions of Public Law 91-145, effective November 1, 1969. The amount recommended is to be equally divided between the two offices.

OFFICES OF THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY WHIPS

1988 appropriation	$431,000
1989 budget estimate	440,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	440,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $440,000 for the offices of the majority and minority whips. The amount recommended is $9,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988, is to be equally divided between the two offices.

The authority for the administrative and clerical staff funded by this appropriation was created by Public Law 84–242, effective July 1, 1955.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES

1988 appropriation	$1,113,000
1989 budget estimate	1,135,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	1,135,000

For the administrative and clerical staffs of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees, the Committee recommends a fiscal year 1989 appropriation of $1,135,000, which is $22,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. The appropriation provides $567,500 for each conference.

OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES OF THE CONFERENCE OF THE MAJORITY AND THE CONFERENCE OF THE MINORITY

1988 appropriation	$270,000
1989 budget estimate	279,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	279,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $279,000 for the majority and minority conference secretaries, an increase of $9,000 over the amount provided for fiscal year 1988 and the same as the request.

The offices were created by section 6 of Senate Resolution 17, agreed to January 10, 1977, and two positions in each office were first funded in the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1977 (Public Law 95–26).

Section 102 of the Supplemental Appropriations Act, 1979 (Public Law 96–38), abolished the specific positions and established a lump-sum allowance for the employment of staff, effective October 1, 1979, for a better utilization of the funds appropriated. The amount recommended is to be equally divided between the two offices.

OFFICE OF THE CHAPLAIN

1988 appropriation	$115,000
1989 budget estimate	117,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	117,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $117,000 for the Office of the Chaplain. This amount provides salaries for the chaplain of the Senate and a secretary to the chaplain. The fiscal year 1988 Legislative Branch Appropriations Act, Public Law 100–202, established the rate of pay for the Chaplain at Executive Level IV.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

1988 appropriation	$8,005,000
1989 budget estimate	8,165,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	8,165,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $8,165,000 for salaries of the Office of the Secretary, an increase of $160,000 above the fiscal year 1988 level. The amount requested and recommended is within the amount allowable under the budget summit agreement of November 20, 1987.

This appropriation provides funds for five statutory positions and lump sum allowances for the employment and adjustment of salaries of personnel in the Office of the Secretary of the Senate, as authorized by Public Law 97–51, effective October 1, 1981 (2 U.S.C. 61a–11).

The following departmental guidelines for fiscal year 1989 have been submitted by the Secretary to the Committee:

STAFFING—OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Department	Fiscal year—	
	1988	1989
Legislative/administrative	67–72	67–72
Disbursing Office	40–44	40–44
Document Room	20–21	20–22
Library	21	21
Stationery Room	18–20	18–20
Office of Public Records	7	7
Office of Senate Security	5–10	5–10
Historian	8	8–9
Curator	4–5	4–5
Totals	190–208	190–210

ADMINISTRATIVE, CLERICAL, AND LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANCE TO SENATORS

1988 appropriation	$109,605,500
1989 budget estimate	
House allowance	
Committee recommendation	

This account formerly contained salaries of the personal staffs of Senators, and was commonly known as the "clerk-hire" allowance. The amount necessary for this account has been transferred to the new Senators' Official Personnel and Office Expense Account described later in this report.

OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER

1988 appropriation	$44,161,000
1989 budget estimate	50,253,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	24,987,000

The Committee recommends a total of $24,987,000 for salaries of the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, a decrease of $19,174,000 below the fiscal year 1988 appropriation. The

SUMMARY OF THE BILL

Department or agency	1988 appropriation	Budget estimates, 1989	House allowance	Committee recommendations	Senate bill compared with—		
					1988 appropriation	Budget estimates, 1989	House allowance
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
TITLE I—CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS							
Senate	$337,314,000	$377,303,200	Not considered	$340,677,200	+ $3,363,200	- $36,626,000	+ $340,677,200
House of Representatives	513,786,500	576,355,000	$505,710,000	505,710,000	- 8,076,500	- 70,645,000	
Joint Items	94,981,000	73,598,000	92,959,000	92,982,000	- 1,999,000	+ 19,384,000	+ 23,000
Office of Technology Assessment	16,901,000	18,321,000	17,505,000	18,203,000	+ 1,302,000	- 118,000	+ 698,000
Biomedical Ethics Board	250,000				- 250,000		
Congressional Award Board	189,000				- 189,000		
Congressional Budget Office	17,886,000	18,900,000	18,361,000	18,361,000	+ 475,000	- 539,000	
Architect of the Capitol (except Library buildings and grounds)	100,565,000	128,701,000	79,554,000	103,640,000	+ 3,075,000	- 25,061,000	+ 24,086,000
Congressional Research Service, Library of Congress	43,022,000	47,889,000	44,684,000	44,684,000	+ 1,662,000	- 3,205,000	
Speaker's Civic Achievement Awards Program, Library of Congress		680,000				- 680,000	
Congressional printing and binding, Government Printing Office	70,359,000	77,700,000	72,000,000	72,000,000	+ 1,641,000	- 5,700,000	
Total, title I—Congressional operations	1,195,253,500	1,319,447,200	830,773,000	1,196,257,200	+ 1,003,700	- 123,190,000	+ 365,484,200
TITLE II—OTHER AGENCIES							
Botanic Garden	2,221,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	+ 300,000		
Library of Congress (except Congressional Research Service)	192,148,000	212,595,000	199,165,000	199,560,000	+ 7,412,000	- 13,035,000	+ 395,000
Architect of the Capitol (Library buildings and grounds)	6,741,000	8,975,000	7,500,000	7,500,000	+ 759,000	- 1,475,000	
Copyright Royalty Tribunal	129,000	127,000	123,000	123,000	- 6,000	- 4,000	
Government Printing Office (except congressional printing and binding)	19,162,000	26,800,000	13,731,000	13,731,000	- 5,431,000	- 13,069,000	
General Accounting Office	329,847,000	393,864,000	346,339,000	348,139,000	+ 18,292,000	- 45,725,000	+ 1,800,000
Total, title II—Other agencies	550,248,000	644,882,000	569,379,000	571,574,000	+ 21,326,000	- 73,308,000	+ 2,195,000
Grand total, new budget (obligational) authority	1,745,501,500	1,964,329,200	1,400,152,000	1,767,831,200	+ 22,329,700	- 196,498,000	+ 367,679,200

decrease is primarily attributed to the transfer of the Capitol Police functions from the Office of the Sergeant at Arms to a new joint item.

This appropriation provides funds for the salaries of three statutory positions and lump sum allowances for employment and adjustments of salaries of personnel in the Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, as authorized by Public Law 97–51, effective October 1, 1981 (2 U.S.C. 61f–7).

The offices and personnel covered by this appropriation are shown in the following table. Numbers in parentheses are the number of positions in each office.

	Fiscal year—		
	1988 level	1989 budget request	1989 committee recommendation
Executive office	$2,742,000 (115)	$3,003,000 (115)	$2,797,000 (115)
Computer center	$7,427,000 (206)	$9,173,000 (245)	$8,536,000 (230)
Capitol Police	$20,870,000 (681)	$23,341,000 (731)	([1])
Facilities and financial management	$2,885,000 (131)	$3,159,000 (131)	$2,943,000 (131)
Photographic and recording studios	$1,831,000 (55)	$2,005,000 (55)	$1,868,000 (55)
Post office	$1,182,000 (61)	$1,325,000 (63)	$1,236,000 (63)
Telecommunications	$1,468,000 (47)	$1,867,000 (55)	$1,660,000 (52)
Service department	$4,982,000 (164)	$5,510,000 (167)	$5,136,000 (167)
News media galleries	$774,000 (17)	$870,000 (18)	$811,000 (18)
Totals	$44,161,000 (1,477)	$50,253,000 (1,580)	$24,987,000 (831)

[1] Transferred to Capitol Police Board.

The Committee has recommended funding in the "Senate Office Buildings" account of the Architect of the Capitol for the demolition of the Plaza Hotel, now housing the Capitol Police, once those personnel have been moved into the renovated Immigration Building. The space now occupied by the structure to be demolished will be utilized for additional Senate parking. In furtherance of the Committee's goal to eliminate all parking on the Capitol Plaza and drives, the Committee directs the Sergeant at Arms to utilize the additional parking space made available by the demolition of the Plaza Hotel for the removal of vehicles from the plaza, and solely for that purpose.

OFFICES OF THE SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY

1988 appropriation	$918,000
1989 budget estimate	944,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	944,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $944,000 for the of-

fices of the secretaries for the majority and minority. This amount is $26,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. The appropriation is to be equally divided between the two offices.

AGENCY CONTRIBUTIONS

1988 appropriation	$28,802,200
1989 budget estimate	17,760,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	10,425,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $10,425,000 for agency contributions for employees paid under the category, "Salaries, officers and employees." This is a decrease of $18,377,200 below the amount provided in fiscal year 1988. Agency contributions include the Senate contributions as an employer to civil service retirement, Federal employee group life insurance, Federal employee health insurance programs, and FICA.

A portion of this account is transferred to the new account, "Senators' Official Personnel and Office Expense" account, in fiscal year 1989. Another portion is transferred to a new joint item entitled "Capitol Police Board." These accounts are described later in the report.

OFFICE OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL OF THE SENATE

1988 appropriation	$1,764,000
1989 budget estimate	2,265,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	1,799,000

For the Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate, the Committee recommends an appropriation of $1,799,000, which is an increase of $35,000 over the amount provided in fiscal year 1988, and $466,000 below the requested amount. The reduction is necessary because of the provisions of the budget summit agreement of November 20, 1987. This appropriation funds the salaries, agency contributions, and expenses of the Office of the Legislative Counsel.

OFFICE OF SENATE LEGAL COUNSEL

1988 appropriation	$633,000
1989 budget estimate	657,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	646,000

For the Office of Senate Legal Counsel, the Committee recommends an appropriation of $646,000, which is $13,000 above the amount available in fiscal year 1988, and $11,000 below the requested amount. This appropriation funds the salaries, agency contributions, and expenses of this Office, which was established pursuant to section 701 of Public Law 95-521.

EXPENSE ALLOWANCES OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE, SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF THE SENATE, AND SECRETARIES FOR THE MAJORITY AND MINORITY OF THE SENATE

1988 appropriation	$12,000
1989 budget estimate	12,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	12,000

Section 119 of Public Law 97–51 authorized an expense allowance for the Secretary of the Senate, the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, the Secretary for the Majority, and the Secretary for the Minority. These allowances were funded in fiscal years 1981 and 1982 through a transfer of funds from the appropriation for "Miscellaneous items." Since fiscal year 1983 the amount has been provided through a direct appropriation.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE SENATE

SENATE POLICY COMMITTEES

1988 appropriation	$2,203,000
1989 budget estimate	2,203,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	2,203,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $2,203,000 for the Senate policy committees. This is the same as the request and the amount available for fiscal year 1988. This appropriation funds the salaries, agency contributions, and expenses of the majority and minority policy committees and is to be equally divided between them.

INQUIRIES AND INVESTIGATIONS

1988 appropriation	$57,161,000
1989 budget estimate	62,673,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	62,673,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $62,673,000 for inquiries and investigations by all Senate standing, special, and select committees. This amount is the same as the request and is $5,512,000 above the amount available for fiscal year 1988. This amount was set by Senate Resolution 381 approved February 26, 1988.

U.S. SENATE CAUCUS ON INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL

1988 appropriation	$325,000
1989 budget estimate	325,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	325,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $325,000 for the U.S. Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control.

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

1988 appropriation	$666,300
1989 budget estimate	727,200
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	727,200

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $727,200 for expenses of the Office of the Secretary. The recommended amount is an increase of $60,900 above the fiscal year 1988 appropriation, this is the first increase requested since the fiscal year 1986 sequester.

The following table sets forth the apportionment of funds under this appropriation. Any deviation of more than 10 percent cumulatively from the approved levels for each item will require reprogramming approval from the Committee.

EXPENSES, OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Item	Fiscal year 1988	Committee recommendation fiscal year 1989
Historical office:		
Books and documents	$1,914	$1,900
Photographic supplies	6,221	6,200
Library:		
Online information services	50,400	50,400
Microform publications	19,140	23,000
Books	9,000	10,000
Subscriptions	14,000	15,000
Standing orders	10,624	11,000
Bindery materials		1,000
Office of Classified National Security Information: Maintenance contract for alarm system	3,828	4,000
Travel and registration fees	13,398	19,000
Substitute reporters and transcribers (Public Law 89–90)	19,140	19,100
Office of Public Records (Public Law 92–342)	23,925	23,900
Consultants (not more than two) (Public Law 95–26)	44,501	49,500
Legal reference volumes and dictionaries (Senators' offices) (Public Law 92–51)	62,205	65,000
Contractual legal and administrative services and miscellaneous expenses	57,889	57,800
Disbursing office: Payroll forms, notary fees and supplies, insurance	29,000	29,000
Orientation and training (Public Law 95–94)	1,914	4,000
Newspapers	28,710	33,000
Senate service awards (S. Res. 21, September 10, 1965)	17,226	18,000
Postage	6,699	5,700
Education of Senate pages (Public Law 98–51, as amended, and S. Res. 184, July 29, 1983, and Public Law 98–125)	196,400	200,000
Stationery	28,155	28,200
Commission on Art and Antiquities (S. Res. 382, 90th Congress)	22,011	27,500
Representation expenses (Public Law 100–71, July 11, 1987)		25,000
Total	666,300	727,200

SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER OF THE SENATE

1988 appropriation	$68,021,000
1989 budget estimate	65,643,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	65,643,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $65,643,000 for expenses of the Sergeant at Arms, the same as the request.

The following table sets forth the apportionment of funds under this appropriation. Any deviation of more than 10 percent cumulatively from the approved levels for each item will require reprogramming approval from the Committee.

OFFICE OF THE SERGEANT AT ARMS AND DOORKEEPER

Item	Fiscal year 1989—	
	Request	Recommendation
Executive office	$8,187,000	$8,187,000
Facilities and financial management	1,227,000	1,227,000
Telecommunications department	15,445,000	15,445,000
Service department	4,784,000	4,784,000
Computer center	35,446,000	35,446,000
Administration:		
Travel	250,000	250,000
Consultants	300,000	300,000
Seminars	4,000	4,000
Total	65,643,000	65,643,000

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

1988 appropriation	$10,183,000
1989 budget estimate	6,111,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	6,180,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $6,180,000 for "Miscellaneous items," a decrease of $4,003,000 below the fiscal year 1988 appropriation, primarily due to the transfer of the Senators' office expense accounts into a new account "Senators' official personnel and office expense" account.

Any deviation of more than 10 percent cumulatively from the approved levels for each item will require reprogramming approval from the Committee.

The following table sets forth the apportionment of funds under this appropriation:

MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS APPORTIONMENT SCHEDULE

Item	Fiscal year 1988	Budget estimate fiscal year 1989	Committee recommendation
Resolution and reorganization reserve	$900,000	$2,569,000	$2,569,000
Reserve for contingencies (miscellaneous items)	600,000	600,000	600,000
Employees fund compensation fund reimbursement	200,000	226,000	226,000
Civil service retirement fund reemployed annuitants	350,000	350,000	350,000
Committee on Rules and Administration—Calendars (S. Res. 508)	73,000	74,000	74,000
Senators' official office expense accounts (Public Law 92-607)	6,100,000		
Reception of foreign dignitaries (S. Res. 247)	25,000	25,000	25,000
Foreign travel—Members and employees	100,000	100,000	100,000
Federal employees compensation account (Public Law 96-499)	900,000	900,000	900,000
Conferences for the majority and minority	80,000	80,000	80,000
Postage	5,000	6,000	6,000
Consultants—including agency contributions (Public Laws 95-26 and 95-94)	200,000	300,000	300,000
Senate observer group (S. Res. 68, Feb. 28, 1985)	650,000	650,000	650,000
Central America, Observer Group (S. Res. 273, Aug. 7, 1987)		300,000	300,000
Total	10,183,000	6,180,000	6,180,000

SENATORS' OFFICIAL PERSONNEL AND OFFICE EXPENSE ACCOUNT

1988 appropriation	$154,544,000
1989 budget request	Not considered
House allowance	151,065,000
Committee recommendation	

This account funds salaries and benefits of the personal staffs of Senators, as well as the office expense allowance for Senators' offices. This item was formerly carried under several accounts including: "Administrative, clerical and legislative assistance to Senators;" "Agency contributions," under the heading "Salaries, officers and employees;" and "Official Office Expense Allowances."

STATIONERY (REVOLVING FUND)

1988 appropriation	$13,000
1989 budget estimate	13,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	13,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $13,000 for stationery and office supplies for the President of the Senate, conference committees of the Senate, the Chaplain, and the Senate Chamber. The recommended amount is the same as that available for fiscal year 1988 and is the same as the request.

The following sums are available under this appropriation for the specific offices listed:

Stationery (revolving fund) allocation—Fiscal year 1989

President of the Senate	$4,500
Chaplain	700
Senate Chamber	7,200
Conference of the majority and conference of the minority	600
Total	13,000

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

1988 appropriation	$513,786,500
1989 budget estimate	576,355,000
House allowance	505,710,000
Committee recommendation	505,710,000

The Committee recommends a total appropriation of $505,710,000 for the House of Representatives. In keeping with the longstanding tradition of comity between the Houses on matters pertaining solely to one House, the Committee concurs with the House allowance.

JOINT ITEMS

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE SENATE

JOINT ECONOMIC COMMITTEE

1988 appropriation	$3,179,000
1989 budget estimate	3,430,000
House allowance	3,330,000
Committee recommendation	3,330,000

The Committee agrees with the House allowance and recommends an appropriation of $3,330,000 for the Joint Economic Committee. This is an increase of $151,000 over the amount available for fiscal year 1988, and $100,000 less than the amount requested. This amount will permit the Committee one additional staff position.

JOINT COMMITTEE ON PRINTING

1988 appropriation	$1,037,000
1989 budget estimate	1,199,000
House allowance	1,143,000
Committee recommendation	1,143,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $1,143,000 for the Joint Committee on Printing, the same as the House allowance. This is an increase of $106,000 above the amount available for fiscal year 1988 and provides for one additional minority staff position until a staff vacancy occurs. At that time, the total position authorization will revert to the current level of 17.

JOINT CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE ON INAUGURAL CEREMONIES OF 1989

1988 appropriation	
1989 budget estimate	$700,000
House allowance	
Committee recommendation	700,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $700,000 to provide funding for salaries and expenses related to the inaugural ceremonies pursuant to the request of the Committee on Rules and Administration.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE

JOINT COMMITTEE ON TAXATION

1988 appropriation	$4,219,000
1989 budget estimate	4,500,000
House allowance	4,346,000
Committee recommendation	4,346,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $4,346,000 for salaries and expenses of the Joint Committee on Taxation, an increase of $127,000 above the fiscal year 1988 level and the same as the House allowance.

OFFICE OF THE ATTENDING PHYSICIAN

1988 appropriation	$1,493,000
1989 budget estimate	1,414,000
House allowance	1,414,000
Committee recommendation	1,414,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $1,414,000 for the Office of the Attending Physician, a decrease of $79,000 below the fiscal year 1988 level, and the same as the budget request and the House allowance. The recommended amount includes $998,000 to reimburse the Department of the Navy for expenses incurred for staff and equipment assigned to the office.

CAPITOL POLICE BOARD

CAPITOL POLICE

	Recommended
Salaries	$52,922,000
Expenses	1,887,000
Technical Security Countermeasures Office	[1](600,000)
Total, Capitol Police Board	54,809,000

[1] By transfer.

The Committee agrees with the House and recommends that the operations of the entire U.S. Capitol Police force be funded within Joint items under the heading "Capitol Police Board." These accounts will be maintained and disbursed by the Architect of the Capitol. The Committee also recommends the establishment of a Technical Security Countermeasures Office.

The Committee intends that the Police Board make such information and personnel available to the Architect of the Capitol as they may mutually agree are needed to allow the Architect to take over the function of issuing payroll checks to personnel under the jurisdiction of the Board.

CAPITOL POLICE

SALARIES

1988 appropriation	
1989 budget estimate	
House allowance	$25,673,000
Committee recommendation	52,922,000

In addition to the House allowance, which contained appropriations only for the House contingent, the Committee recommends $21,799,000 for salaries of 688 positions and $5,450,000 for benefits for these positions transferred from the Senate payroll, for a total of $52,922,000. This includes funding for seven new civilian positions; one programmer and six for the delivery center.

GENERAL EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$1,734,000
1989 budget estimate	2,189,000
House allowance	1,887,000
Committee recommendation	1,887,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $1,887,000 for general expenses of the Capitol Police, an increase of $153,000 above the fiscal year 1988 level.

The general expenses of the police force will continue to be paid from this account. These expenses include office supplies and equipment, laundry and drycleaning, communications, motor vehicles, uniforms and equipment, investigations, training, and miscellaneous items.

TECHNICAL SECURITY COUNTERMEASURES OFFICE

1988 appropriation	
1989 budget estimate	
House allowance	
Committee recommendation	[1] ($600,000)

[1] By transfer.

The Committee recommends the establishment of a Technical Security Countermeasures Office [TSCM] under the Capitol Police Board to be responsible for the administration and operations of wiretap detection device systems within the Capitol complex.

The Committee believes that there is a need for a consolidated office that will continue to ensure that classified information remains secure from interception by electronic means. Currently, the responsibilities for these activities are handled by a number of sources including U.S. Capitol Police personnel assigned to the Technical Security Division and staff from the Architect of the Capitol Electronic Engineering De-

partment. Technical assistance, training, and equipment loans have been provided by the intelligence community on an extensive basis. The TSCM Office will provide direction for needs assessment, planning, long-term budgeting, personnel training and development, systems development, and related security functions, all of which will be more easily and effectively facilitated under this authority.

Total resources for this program will be funded by transfers from several accounts: $50,000 from the "Secretary of the Senate contingent fund" account funded in fiscal year 1988 to be made available to this office in fiscal year 1989; $50,000 from the 1989 "Senate Office Buildings" account under the Architect of the Capitol; $100,000 from the 1989 "Salaries" account under the Capitol Police Board; and $450,000 which will be made available in 1989 from funds appropriated to the Senate Sergeant at Arms in 1988. The Committee authorizes five positions in the TSCM Office; one director, two senior technicians, and two technicians. The salaries and benefits of these positions are estimated at $275,000. Estimates for expenses of the TSCM Office include $105,000 for maintenance, $120,000 for training and support, and $100,000 for equipment.

It is recommended that the TSCM Office, the Capitol Police Board, Office of Senate Security, and any appropriate office of the House of Representatives work with relevant executive agencies to request that an operational security survey of Capitol Hill be conducted and the office subsequently develop a long-term plan for countersurveillance security.

Official Mail Costs

1988 appropriation	$82,163,000
1989 budget estimate	58,926,000
House allowance	53,926,000
Committee recommendation	26,000,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $26,000,000 for reimbursement of the U.S. Postal Service for official mail sent out by Congress. This is a reduction of $32,926,000 from the request and $27,926,000 under the House allowance.

Capitol Guide Service

1988 appropriation	$1,137,000
1989 budget estimate	1,220,000
House allowance	1,220,000
Committee recommendation	1,220,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $1,220,000 for the salaries and expenses of the Capitol Guide Service, which is an increase of $83,000 above the 1988 level and the same as the House allowance.

The Committee wishes to recognize the many contributions of the Capitol Guide Service. With very limited resources, the Capitol guides greet and inform more than 1 million visitors to the Capitol every year, and do so despite the difficulties created by necessary security improvements. The Committee commends the Capitol guides for their continued service to Congress, the citizens of the United States, and visitors from all over the world.

STATEMENTS OF APPROPRIATIONS

1988 appropriation	$19,000
1989 budget estimate	20,000
House allowance	20,000
Committee recommendation	20,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $20,000, an increase of $1,000 over the 1988 appropriation and the same as the House allowance. The funds are provided for the preparation of the volumes, "Statements on Appropriations," for the second session of the 100th Congress. These volumes show annual appropriations made, indefinite appropriations, and contracts authorized, along with a chronological history of regular appropriations bills. The volumes are compiled jointly by the Senate and House Committees on Appropriations.

OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$16,901,000
1989 budget estimate	18,321,000
House allowance	17,505,000
Committee recommendation	18,203,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $18,203,000 for the Office of Technology Assessment. This is $118,000 below the budget request and $698,000 above the House allowance. $266,000 of this amount is provided to restore a reduction in mandatory items in the House allowance. In addition, the Committee has included $100,000 for ongoing work on the health and behavior problems of adolescents; and $82,000 to complete phase one, and $250,000 to begin phase two of OTA work begun in February 1987 on crucial climate modification problems.

BIOMEDICAL ETHICS BOARD

1988 appropriation	[1] $250,000
1989 budget estimate	.....
House allowance	.....
Committee recommendation	.....

[1] Includes reappropriation in the amount of $150,000.

The bill contains a provision allowing the carryover of available funds appropriated in fiscal year 1988.

Authorized by the Public Health Service Act (Public Law 99–158), the Biomedical Ethics Board consists of six Senators and six Representatives. Under the provisions of the authorization act, the Board is to select an advisory council, which is authorized to pay per diem and other expenses, hire staff, and incur other costs associated with the activities of the council.

CONGRESSIONAL AWARD BOARD

CONGRESSIONAL AWARD PROGRAM

1988 appropriation	$189,000
1989 budget estimate	
House allowance	
Committee recommendation	

The Committee recommends no appropriation for the Congressional Award Program in fiscal year 1989.

CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$17,886,000
1989 budget estimate	18,900,000
House allowance	18,361,000
Committee recommendation	18,361,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $18,361,000 for salaries and expenses of the Congressional Budget Office. This amount is $539,000 less than the budget request and $475,000 above the 1988 level. The Committee concurs with the House allowance.

The Committee wishes to commend the Congressional Budget Office for the CBO annual report, "An Analysis of the President's Budgetary Proposals for Fiscal Year 1989," done each year at the request of the Senate Committee on Appropriations. It has served as a most useful report for the work of the Committee.

ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

OFFICE OF THE ARCHITECT—SALARIES

1988 appropriation	$5,925,000
1989 budget estimate	7,236,000
House allowance	6,532,000
Committee recommendation	6,532,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $6,532,000 for Office of the Architect—Salaries. This is $607,000 above the amount available for fiscal year 1988.

The Committee has recommended the authority for travel, with a $20,000 limitation.

OFFICE OF THE ARCHITECT—CONTINGENT EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$48,000
1989 budget estimate	100,000
House allowance	100,000
Committee recommendation	100,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $100,000 for contingent expenses of the Architect. This is the same level as the budget request and the House allowance.

The recommended amount will enable the Architect to make surveys and studies and meet unforeseen expenses in connection with activities under the care of the Architect. The Committee again directs the Architect to apprise the Committee of obligations made from this account.

CAPITOL BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

CAPITOL BUILDINGS

1988 appropriation	$12,793,000
1989 budget estimate	21,180,000
House allowance	15,471,000
Committee recommendation	15,471,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $15,471,000 for the operation and maintenance of the Capitol Building and the electrical substations of the House and Senate Office Buildings, a reduction of $5,709,000 from the request and an increase of $2,678,000 over the fiscal year 1988 level. The Committee concurs with the House allowance.

If the Architect determines that additional resources are required to accomplish the transfer of Capitol Police Board payroll and accounting functions to his computer system, the Committee will consider reprogramming or supplemental budget requests.

CAPITOL GROUNDS

1988 appropriation	$3,404,000
1989 budget estimate	3,911,000
House allowance	3,771,000
Committee recommendation	3,771,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $3,771,000 for Capitol Grounds for the care and improvement of the grounds surrounding the Capitol, the Senate and House Office Buildings, and the Capitol Power Plant. This provides an increase of $367,000 over the 1988 level and the same as the House allowance.

SENATE OFFICE BUILDINGS

1988 appropriation	$23,265,000
1989 budget estimate	38,459,000
House allowance	Not considered
Committee recommendation	24,086,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $24,086,000 for maintenance of Senate Office Buildings. The recommended amount is $821,000 above the amount provided for fiscal year 1988. Since this item pertains solely to the Senate, it was not considered by the House.

The recommended amount provides for all mandatory items. Cyclical maintenance items are denied. The requested increases for annual recurring items are funded at a net increase of $355,000, rather than the $405,000 requested. Increases are allowed for supplies and materials, and for annual painting; all other items are maintained at the fiscal year 1988 level. $150,000 is provided for the asbestos abatement program.

In continuing and initiating programs the Committee has allowed $500,000 for the continuing purchase of furniture and furnishings for

the Hart Senate Office Building; $300,000 for the replenishment of reprogrammed funds from the Immigration Building renovation; $250,000 for the demolition of the Plaza Hotel; $50,000 for modifications to certain elevators in the Dirksen Building and $632,000 for repairs to 12 Russell Building elevators; $100,000 for election year moving costs; and $464,000 for remodeling the kitchen in the Dirksen Building.

Once the demolition of the Plaza Hotel has been completed, the Architect shall proceed immediately to prepare the site for additional parking, and shall design the area, and immediately surrounding areas, to accommodate the maximum number of vehicles. As directed elsewhere in this report, the Senate Sergeant at Arms shall utilize this additional space solely for the removal of vehicles from the Capitol plaza.

Senate subway.—Appropriations for the Senate subway have been deferred until a decision is made on the specific type of system to be installed. On April 21, 1988, the Committee on Rules and Administration authorized the Architect of the Capitol to obtain bids on two alternative plans. The Committee believes that it would be premature to provide funds at this time.

Senate elevators.—The Committee is fearful that someone will be seriously injured if immediate action is not taken to improve the safety and operation of the elevators in the Senate Office Buildings.

In fiscal year 1987, $402,000 was appropriated to replace door operators on nine elevators and the cabs on three other elevators in the Dirksen Building; in May 1987 the Architect received a report outlining what work needed to be undertaken. To date no work has been performed. The Committee directs that the Committee receive monthly reports on the status and expected completion date of this work.

The Committee is also recommending $632,000 for necessary work on elevators in the Russell Senate Office Building. The Architect is due to receive the recommendations of private elevator consulting engineers on the work needed on the 12 passenger carrying elevators in the Russell Building. The Committee requests a report by August 1, 1988, on the scope of work to be undertaken, the status of contracting for this work, the anticipated work schedule and expected completion date.

In addition, the Committee directs that the Architect report, not later than October 1, 1988, on steps that will be taken to ensure that elevators in the Senate Office Buildings and the entire Capitol complex are routinely inspected and that preventive maintenance will be performed on a timely basis. The Committee notes that the General Services Administration contracts for maintenance of 82 percent of its elevators, with a trend toward more contracting out. According to information provided by the Architect in a letter dated March 14, 1988, two of eight elevator mechanic positions were vacant. The report of October 1 should include recommendations concerning the current and optimum mix of in-house versus contract maintenance and repair work.

The Committee directs that the elevator projects receive the highest priority in the Architect's Office.

HOUSE OFFICE BUILDINGS

1988 appropriation	$30,547,000
1989 budget estimate	32,910,000
House allowance	28,895,000
Committee recommendation	28,895,000

The Committee has included funds for maintenance of House office buildings at the level in H.R. 4587 as passed by the House. As this item pertains solely to the House, the Committee makes no independent judgment on the House allowance.

CAPITOL POWER PLANT

1988 appropriation	$24,583,000
1989 budget estimate	24,905,000
House allowance	24,785,000
Committee recommendation	24,785,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $24,785,000 for the Capitol Power Plant. This is $120,000 below the budget request and the same as the House allowance.

This appropriation supports a work force of 104 employees who operate and maintain the Capitol Power Plant. The powerplant provides heat, light, power, and air-conditioning for the Capitol, Senate and House Office Buildings, and the Library of Congress Buildings; heat, light, and power for the Botanic Garden and the Senate and House garages; light for the Capitol Grounds' street, park, and floodlighting system; and steam heat for the Government Printing Office, the Washington City Post Office, Union Station complex, and steam heat and air-conditioning for the Folger Shakespeare Library and the U.S. Supreme Court Building on a reimbursable basis.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH SERVICE

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$43,022,000
1989 budget estimate	47,889,000
House allowance	44,684,000
Committee recommendation	44,684,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $44,684,000 for the salaries and expenses of the Congressional Research Service. The amount recommended is a reduction of $3,205,000 below the budget request and the same as the House allowance.

SPEAKER'S CIVIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS PROGRAM

EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	
1989 budget estimate	$680,000
House allowance	
Committee recommendation	

Funding for this program has been included in the "Salaries and expenses" account of the Library of Congress.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

CONGRESSIONAL PRINTING AND BINDING

1988 appropriation	$70,359,000
1989 budget estimate	77,700,000
House allowance	72,000,000
Committee recommendation	72,000,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $72,000,000 for congressional printing and binding. This is $5,700,000 less than the budget request and the same as the House allowance.

This appropriation provides funds to pay the cost of printing and binding required by Congress. The principal categories of printing and binding required for the use of Congress include the Congressional Record; bills, resolutions, and amendments; committee reports; Senate and House documents; congressional committee hearings; and miscellaneous publications such as Senate and House Journals.

The following table compares the component categories within this account for fiscal years 1988 and 1989. The Committee has not recommended separate amounts for each activity, in order to give the GPO the flexibility needed to meet changing requirements.

CONGRESSIONAL PRINTING AND BINDING

	Appropriations 1988	Requested 1989	Recommended 1989
Congressional Record program	$17,908,000	$18,000,000	
Miscellaneous publications	3,834,000	5,396,000	
Committee prints	2,970,000	2,310,000	
Miscellaneous printing and binding	9,420,000	11,236,000	
Details to Congress	4,239,000	4,760,000	
Franked envelopes and document franks	945,000	1,163,000	
House and Senate committee and business calendars	1,815,000	1,620,000	
Bills, resolutions, and amendments	7,680,000	8,190,000	
Committee reports	3,120,000	2,640,000	
Documents	1,740,000	1,485,000	
Hearings	20,758,000	20,900,000	
Deferred bound records	(4,070,000)		
Total	70,359,000	77,700,000	$72,000,000

TITLE II—OTHER AGENCIES

BOTANIC GARDEN

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$2,221,000
1989 budget estimate	2,521,000
House allowance	2,521,000
Committee recommendation	2,521,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $2,521,000, for the Botanic Garden, an increase of $300,000 over the 1988 level and the same as the House allowance.

The appropriation supports a regular force of 57 employees to provide for the care and upkeep of the Botanic Garden and grounds. The purpose of the Botanic Garden is to collect, cultivate, and grow the various flora of this and other countries for exhibition and display to the public and for study material for students, scientists, and garden clubs.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

(EXCEPT CONGRESSIONAL RESEARCH SERVICE)

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation:	
Salaries and expenses	$143,866,000
Authority to spend receipts	−5,000,000
Net, salaries and expenses	138,866,000
1989 budget estimate:	
Salaries and expenses	164,189,000
Authority to spend receipts	−5,000,000
Net, salaries and expenses	159,189,000
House allowance:	
Salaries and expenses	152,647,000
Authority to spend receipts	−5,000,000
Net, salaries and expenses	147,647,000
Committee recommendation:	
Salaries and expenses	153,042,000
Authority to spend receipts	−5,000,000
Net, salaries and expenses	148,042,000

The Committee recommends a direct appropriation of $148,042,000 for salaries and expenses of the Library of Congress, exclusive of the Congressional Research Service. In addition, $5,000,000 will be available from receipts for total resources of $153,042,000 for fiscal year 1989.

The Committee recommendation is a reduction of $11,147,000 from the request and $395,000 above the House allowance. The increase provides for five more positions for the preservation program ($130,000) and an additional $265,000 for the microfilming project.

The Committee concurs with the House conclusion that procurement of a mass deacidification process should be open to all potential bidders and technologies. The Library has been a leader in development of solutions to the problem of acid deterioration, particularly the diethyl zinc [DEZ] process. The Library and its staff are to be commended for advancing the state of the art and taking the lead in solving a problem that would otherwise eventually destroy many world treasures.

The goals of this effort must not be lost in the means of achieving the end result. Therefore, the Committee directs that the procurement specify only design specifications of desired results not the means by which those results are to be achieved.

COPYRIGHT OFFICE

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation:	
Salaries and expenses	[1]$19,211,000
Authority to spend receipts	−7,931,000
Net, salaries and expenses	11,280,000
1989 budget estimate:	
Salaries and expenses	20,173,000
Authority to spend receipts	−8,034,000
Net, salaries and expenses	12,139,000
House allowance:	
Salaries and expenses	19,697,000
Authority to spend receipts	−8,034,000
Net, salaries and expenses	11,663,000
Committee recommendation:	
Salaries and expenses	19,697,000
Authority to spend receipts	−8,034,000
Net, salaries and expenses	11,663,000

[1] Includes reappropriation of $150,000.

The Committee recommends the direct appropriation of $11,663,000 for the Copyright Office of the Library of Congress, and approves authority to spend copyright receipts of $8,034,000 in fiscal year 1989. Total funds available will be $19,697,000, a reduction of $476,000 from the request and the same as the House allowance.

BOOKS FOR THE BLIND AND PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$36,186,000
1989 budget estimate	37,692,000
House allowance	36,474,000
Committee recommendation	36,474,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $36,474,000, for salaries and expenses for books for the blind and physically handi-

capped. This is a reduction of $1,218,000 from the budget request and the same as the House allowance.

This appropriation supports a National Reading Program for blind and physically handicapped citizens. Books and magazines in braille and various recorded formats are selected by the National Library Services for the Blind and Physically Handicapped for distribution through a network of State and locally supported libraries. At present, 56 regional libraries in 48 States, the District of Columbia, the Virgin Islands, and Puerto Rico house and circulate books and magazines to eligible readers. Ninety-seven subregional libraries in 22 States assist at the local public library level. Forty-eight libraries and 10 cooperating agencies distribute sound reproducers. Three multi-State centers, under contract to the division, store, and distribute books and other materials in their geographical regions. The Librarian has estimated a readership of 712,000 individuals in fiscal year 1988.

Furniture and Furnishings

1988 appropriation	$5,816,000
1989 budget estimate	3,575,000
House allowance	3,381,000
Committee recommendation	3,381,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $3,381,000 for Library furniture and furnishings, which is the same as the House allowance and is $194,000 below the budget estimate.

This appropriation is used to purchase the furniture and equipment needed for the normal operations of the Library, including bookshelves, carpeting, special purpose furniture, and general office furniture.

The funds provided are for certain long-lead items specially designed for use in the space now under renovation in the Jefferson and Adams Buildings.

ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

Library Buildings and Grounds

STRUCTURAL AND MECHANICAL CARE

1988 appropriation	$6,741,000
1989 budget estimate	8,975,000
House allowance	7,500,000
Committee recommendation	7,500,000

The Committee recommends the appropriation of $7,500,000 for care and maintenance of Library buildings and grounds by the Architect of the Capitol. This is an increase of $759,000 over the 1988 level and $1,475,000 below the request.

The Committee is concerned about the deteriorated condition of the roof on the Thomas Jefferson Building. The threat and potential damage to the building renovation must be addressed by the Architect of the Capitol. The Committee asks the Architect of the Capitol to provide a cost estimate for design of the roof replacement or its repair similar to

the design of roof replacement for the James Madison Building which is being authorized and funded in the amount of $100,000.

COPYRIGHT ROYALTY TRIBUNAL

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

Total 1988 appropriation—total	$662,000
Authority to spend receipts	−533,000
Direct appropriation	129,000
1989 budget estimate—total	637,000
Authority to spend receipts	−510,000
Direct appropriation	127,000
House allowance—total	633,000
Authority to spend receipts	−510,000
Direct appropriation	123,000
Committee recommendation—total	633,000
Authority to spend receipts	−510,000
Direct appropriation	123,000

The Committee recommends that $633,000 be made available to the Copyright Royalty Tribunal for its fiscal year 1989 activities. Of this total, $510,000 is to be drawn from the Commission's existing authority to spend receipts, and the remaining $123,000 is a direct appropriation from the Treasury.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

OFFICE OF SUPERINTENDENT OF DOCUMENTS

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$19,162,000
(By transfer)	(5,500,000)
1989 budget estimate	26,800,000
House allowance	13,731,000
(By transfer)	(11,424,000)
Committee recommendation	13,731,000
(By transfer)	(11,424,000)

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $13,731,000 for the salaries and expenses of the Office of Superintendent of Documents. This is a reduction of $13,069,000 below the request and the same as the House allowance. In addition, the Committee recommends language allowing $11,424,000 to be derived from the revolving fund, making a total of $25,155,000 available. The bill includes a provision that will apply Federal flexible time schedules to GPO; and sets the full-time equivalent employment at 5,177.

This appropriation provides for salaries and expenses associated with the distribution, cataloging, and indexing of Government documents for the public, depository libraries, Members of Congress, and other Government agencies.

GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE

SALARIES AND EXPENSES

1988 appropriation	$329,847,000
1989 budget estimate	393,864,000
House allowance	346,339,000
Committee recommendation	348,139,000

The Committee recommends an appropriation of $348,139,000 for the salaries and expenses of the General Accounting Office. This is a reduction of $45,725,000 from the budget request and $1,800,000 above the House allowance. The increase over the House allowance will provide $1,000,000 for travel allowances and $800,000 for microcomputers.

The Committee is concerned that the United States is losing its competitive advantage in biotechnology to Japan and other industrialized nations which invest heavily in biotechnology research and which stress the commercialization of biotechnology. Of particular concern to the Committee are the economic and regulatory barriers to success which face small- and medium-size biotechnology firms. The Committee directs the General Accounting Office, in consultation with the Office of Technology Assessment, to assess the role of the Federal Government in fostering biotechnology research and development. The Committee is interested in the feasibility of cooperative public-private sector biotechnology initiatives, the use of existing Federal facilities for such cooperative ventures, and the demand among small biotechnology firms for shared or leased research space and equipment.

The Committee concurs with the House request that GAO study the possibilities of technology sharing for accounting and other recordkeeping functions within the legislative branch, beginning with the Architect of the Capitol and the Library of Congress.

The Committee wishes to be apprised of the findings of the research in terms of estimated costs, savings, and capability enhancements.

TITLE III—GENERAL PROVISIONS

In addition to the several general provisions carried annually in the bill, the Committee recommends the provisions as passed the House, except for section 307 which is stricken and new language inserted in lieu thereof, and section 311 which is stricken. Additionally, the Committee recommends section 312 which requires that the Congress cast an affirmative vote before receiving any future pay raise and section 313 which allows the employment by committees of consultants to study and advise with respect to improved operational effectiveness and efficiency of a committee.

COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 7, RULE XVI, OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE

Paragraph 7 of rule XVI requires that Committee reports on general appropriations bills identify each Committee amendment to the House bill "which proposes an item of appropriation which is not made to carry out the provisions of an existing law, a treaty stipulation, or an act or resolution previously passed by the Senate during that session."

The Committee has recommended no such amendment.

COMPLIANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 12, RULE XXVI OF THE STANDING RULES OF THE SENATE

Paragraph 12 of rule XXVI requires that Committee reports on a bill or joint resolution repealing or amending any statute or part of any statute include "(a) the text of the statute or part thereof which is proposed to be repealed; and (b) a comparative print of that part of the bill or joint resolution making the amendment and of the statute or part thereof proposed to be amended, showing by stricken-through type and italics, parallel columns, or other appropriate typographical devices the omissions and insertions which would be made by the bill or joint resolution if enacted in the form recommended by the committee."

In compliance with this rule, the following changes in existing law proposed to be made by the bill are shown as follows: existing law to be omitted is enclosed in black brackets; new matter is printed in italic; and existing law in which no change is proposed is shown in roman.

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1. In connection with section 359—

TITLE 2, UNITED STATES CODE

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§ 359. Effective date of Presidential recommendations

[(1) Within sixty calendar days of the submission of the President's recommendations to the Congress, each House shall conduct a separate vote on each of the recommendations of the President with respect to the offices and positions described in subparagraphs (A), (B), (C), and (D) of section 356 of this title, and shall thereby approve or disapprove the recommendations of the President regarding each such subparagraph. Such votes shall be recorded so as to reflect the votes of each individual Member thereon. If both Houses approve by majority vote the recommendations pertaining to the offices and positions described in any such subparagraph, the recommendations shall become effective for the offices and positions covered by such subparagraph at the beginning of the first pay period which begins after the thirtieth day following the approval of the recommendation by the second House to approve the recommendation.]

"(1) Each recommendation of the President which—

"(A) is transmitted to the Congress pursuant to subsection (h) of this section; and

"(B) is approved by a joint resolution agreed to by the Congress,

shall be effective as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection.".

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2. In connection with section 309—

TITLE 44, UNITED STATES CODE

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§ 309. Revolving fund for operation and maintenance of Government Printing Office: capitalization; reimbursements and credits; accounting and budgeting; reports

(a) The revolving fund of $1,000,000 established July 1, 1953, is available without fiscal year limitation, for—

the operation and maintenance of the Government Printing Office[, except the Office of Superintendent of Documents,] *(except for those programs of the Superintendent of Documents which are funded by specific appropriations)*, including rental of buildings;

attendance at meetings not to exceed $3,000 in any fiscal year;

maintenance and operation of the emergency room;

uniforms, or allowances therefor, as authorized by section 5901 of Title 5;

boots, coats, and gloves;

repairs and minor alterations to buildings; and

expenses authorized in writing by the Joint Committee on Printing for inspection of Government printing activities.

In addition, the Public Printer shall provide capital for the fund by capitalizing, at fair and reasonable values as jointly determined by him and the Comptroller General, the current inventories, plant, and building appurtenances, except building structures and land, equipment, and other assets of the Government Print Office.

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(c) An adequate system of accounts for the fund shall be maintained on the accrual method of financial reports prepared on the basis of the accounts. The Public Printer shall prepare and submit an annual business-type budget program for the operations under this fund. [The Comptroller General shall audit the activities of the Government Printing Office at least once in every three years and shall furnish reports of such audits to the Congress and the Public Printer. For these purposes the Comptroller General shall have such access to the records, files, personnel, and facilities of the Government Printing Office as he considers necessary.] *This budget program shall be considered and enacted as prescribed by section 9104 of title 31.*

[(d) Commencing with the fiscal year 1969, the annual business-type budget for the fund shall be considered and enacted as prescribed by section 9104 of title 31.]

(d) The Comptroller General shall audit the activities of the Government Printing Office at least once every 3 years and shall furnish reports of such audits to the Congress and the Public Printer. For these purposes the Comptroller General shall have such access to the records, files, personnel, and facilities of the Government Printing Office as he considers necessary.

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BUDGETARY IMPACT OF BILL

PREPARED BY THE CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE PURSUANT TO SEC. 308(a), PUBLIC LAW 93-344, AS AMENDED

[In millions of dollars]

	Budget authority		Outlays	
	Committee allocation	Amount in bill	Committee allocation	Amount in bill
Comparison of amounts in the bill with the Committee allocation to its subcommittees of amounts in the First Concurrent Resolution for 1989: Subcommittee on the Legislative Branch	1,950	[1] 1,832	1,916	[2] 1,822
Projections of outlays associated with budget authority recommended in the bill:				
1989				[3] 1,587
1990				148
1991				20
1992				
1993 and future year				13
Financial assistance to State and local governments for 1989 in the bill				
	Direct loans		Loan guarantees	
Credit authority estimates, fiscal year 1989				

[1] Includes compensation of Members.
[2] Includes outlays from prior-year budget authority.
[3] Excludes outlays from prior-year budget authority.

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY FOR FISCAL YEAR 1988 AND BUDGET ESTIMATES AND AMOUNTS RECOMMENDED IN THE BILL FOR FISCAL YEAR 1989

[Amounts in dollars]

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
TITLE I - CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS							
SENATE							
Mileage of the Vice President and Senators and Expense Allowances of the Vice President, the President Pro Tempore, Majority and Minority Leaders, Majority and Minority Whips, and Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees							
Mileage of the Vice President and Senators	60,000	60,000	---	60,000	---	---	+60,000
Expense allowances of the Vice President, the President Pro Tempore, Majority and Minority Leaders Majority and Minority Whips, and Chairmen of the Majority and Minority Conference Committees:							
Vice President	10,000	10,000	---	10,000	---	---	+10,000
President Pro Tempore of the Senate	10,000	10,000	---	10,000	---	---	+10,000
Majority Leader of the Senate	10,000	10,000	---	10,000	---	---	+10,000
Minority Leader of the Senate	10,000	10,000	---	10,000	---	---	+10,000
Majority Whip of the Senate	5,000	5,000	---	5,000	---	---	+5,000
Minority Whip of the Senate	5,000	5,000	---	5,000	---	---	+5,000
Chairmen of the Majority Conference Committee	3,000	3,000	---	3,000	---	---	+3,000
Chairmen of the Minority Conference Committee	3,000	3,000	---	3,000	---	---	+3,000
Associated outlays	---	---	---	---	---	---	---

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Representation allowances for the Majority and Minority Leaders	20,000	20,000	---	20,000	---	---	+20,000
Total, expense allowances	76,000	76,000	---	76,000	---	---	+76,000
Total, Vice President and Senators	136,000	136,000	---	136,000	---	---	+136,000
Salaries, Officers and Employees							
Office of the Vice President	1,145,000	1,168,000	---	1,168,000	+23,000	---	+1,168,000
Office of the President Pro Tempore	153,000	156,000	---	156,000	+3,000	---	+156,000
Office of the Deputy President Pro Tempore	90,000	92,000	---	23,000	-67,000	-69,000	+23,000
Offices of the Majority and Minority Leaders	1,388,000	1,416,000	---	1,416,000	+28,000	---	+1,416,000
Offices of the Majority and Minority Whips	431,000	440,000	---	440,000	+9,000	---	+440,000
Conference committees	1,113,000	1,135,000	---	1,135,000	+22,000	---	+1,135,000
Offices of the secretaries of the Conference of the Majority and the Conference of the Minority	270,000	279,000	---	279,000	+9,000	---	+279,000
Office of the Chaplain	115,000	117,000	---	117,000	+2,000	---	+117,000
Office of the Secretary	8,005,000	8,165,000	---	8,165,000	+160,000	---	+8,165,000
Administrative, clerical, and legislative assistance to Senators 1/	109,605,500	---	---	---	-109,605,500	---	---
Office of the Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper	44,161,000	50,253,000	---	24,987,000	-19,174,000	-25,266,000	+24,987,000
Offices of the secretaries for the Majority and Minority	918,000	944,000	---	944,000	+26,000	---	+944,000

Agency contributions	28,802,200	17,760,000	---	10,425,000	-18,377,200	-7,335,000	+10,425,000
Associated outlays	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Total, salaries, officers and employees	196,196,700	81,925,000	---	49,255,000	-146,941,700	-32,670,000	+49,255,000
Office of the Legislative Counsel of the Senate							
Salaries and expenses	1,764,000	2,265,000	---	1,799,000	+35,000	-466,000	+1,799,000
Office of Senate Legal Counsel							
Salaries and expenses	633,000	657,000	---	646,000	+13,000	-11,000	+646,000
Expense allowances for the Secretary of the Senate, Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate, and Secretaries for the Majority and Minority of the Senate	12,000	12,000	---	12,000	---	---	+12,000
Contingent Expenses of the Senate							
Senate policy committees	2,203,000	2,203,000	---	2,203,000	---	---	+2,203,000
Inquiries and investigations	57,161,000	62,673,000	---	62,673,000	+5,512,000	---	+62,673,000
Expenses of United States Senate Caucus on International Narcotics Control	325,000	325,000	---	325,000	---	---	+325,000
Secretary of the Senate	666,300	727,200	---	727,200	+60,900	---	+727,200
Sergeant at Arms and Doorkeeper of the Senate	68,021,000	65,643,000	---	65,643,000	-2,378,000	---	+65,643,000
Miscellaneous items	10,183,000	6,180,000	---	6,180,000	-4,003,000	---	+6,180,000
Senators' official personnel and office expense account	---	154,544,000	---	151,065,000	+151,065,000	-3,479,000	+151,065,000
Stationery (revolving fund)	13,000	13,000	---	13,000	---	---	+13,000
Total, contingent expenses of the Senate	138,572,300	292,308,200	---	288,829,200	+150,256,900	-3,479,000	+288,829,200
Total, Senate	337,314,000	377,303,200	---	340,677,200	+3,363,200	-36,626,000	+340,677,200

1/ Transferred to new Senator's account under Misc. Items.

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES							
Payments to Widows and Heirs of Deceased Members of Congress							
Gratuities, deceased Members	89,500	---	---	---	-89,500	---	---
Mileage of Members							
Mileage of Members	210,000	210,000	210,000	210,000	---	---	---
Salaries and Expenses							
House Leadership Offices							
Office of the Speaker	798,000	902,000	902,000	902,000	+104,000	---	---
Office of the Majority Floor Leader	708,000	828,000	828,000	828,000	+120,000	---	---
Office of the Minority Floor Leader	789,000	926,000	926,000	926,000	+137,000	---	---
Office of the Majority Whip	621,000	733,000	733,000	733,000	+112,000	---	---
Office of the Minority Whip	540,000	635,000	635,000	635,000	+95,000	---	---
Total, House leadership offices	3,456,000	4,024,000	4,024,000	4,024,000	+568,000	---	---

Members' Clerk Hire							
Clerk hire	174,556,000	182,477,000	178,828,000	178,828,000	+4,272,000	-3,649,000	---
Committee Employees							
Professional and clerical employees on standing committees	49,102,000	71,770,000	51,067,000	51,067,000	+1,965,000	-20,703,000	---
Committee on the Budget (Studies)							
Salaries and expenses	329,000	346,000	336,000	336,000	+7,000	-10,000	---
Continsent Expenses of the House							
Standing Committees, Special and Select							
Salaries and expenses	52,418,000	56,124,000	54,092,000	54,092,000	+1,674,000	-2,032,000	---
Allowances and Expenses							
Official Expenses of Members	81,523,000	86,376,000	82,068,000	82,068,000	+545,000	-4,308,000	---
Supplies, materials, administrative costs and Federal tort claims	16,719,000	25,193,000	21,193,000	21,193,000	+4,474,000	-4,000,000	---
Furniture and furnishings	1,005,000	1,265,000	1,265,000	1,265,000	+260,000	---	---
Stenographic reporting of committee hearings	550,000	800,000	800,000	800,000	+250,000	---	---
Reemployed annuitants reimbursements	1,118,000	1,380,000	1,380,000	1,380,000	+262,000	---	---
Government contributions	73,260,000	81,250,000	69,835,000	69,835,000	-3,425,000	-11,415,000	---
Miscellaneous items	622,000	622,000	622,000	622,000	---	---	---
Total, allowances and expenses	174,797,000	196,886,000	177,163,000	177,163,000	+2,366,000	-19,723,000	---
Total, continsent expenses of the House	227,215,000	253,010,000	231,255,000	231,255,000	+4,040,000	-21,755,000	---

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Committee on Appropriations (Studies and Investigations)							
Salaries and expenses	4,300,000	4,522,000	4,429,000	4,429,000	+129,000	-93,000	---
Salaries, Officers and Employees							
Office of the Clerk	14,917,000	16,205,000	15,905,000	15,905,000	+988,000	-300,000	---
Office of the Sergeant at Arms	21,180,000	24,033,000	951,000	951,000	-20,229,000	-23,082,000	---
Office of the Doorkeeper	7,915,000	8,245,000	7,525,000	7,525,000	-390,000	-720,000	---
Office of the Postmaster	2,517,000	2,760,000	2,610,000	2,610,000	+93,000	-150,000	---
Office of the Chaplain	75,000	78,000	78,000	78,000	+3,000	---	---
Office of the Parliamentarian	716,000	746,000	746,000	746,000	+30,000	---	---
Office of the Parliamentarian	(496,000)	(526,000)	(526,000)	(526,000)	(+30,000)	---	---
Compilation of precedents of the House of Representatives	(220,000)	(220,000)	(220,000)	(220,000)	---	---	---
Office for the Bicentennial	243,000	261,000	261,000	261,000	+18,000	---	---
Office of the Law Revision Counsel	870,000	969,000	954,000	954,000	+84,000	-15,000	---
Office of the Legislative Counsel	3,025,000	3,277,000	3,222,000	3,222,000	+197,000	-55,000	---
Six minority employees	447,000	521,000	521,000	521,000	+74,000	---	---
House Democratic Steering Committee and Caucus	721,000	803,000	803,000	803,000	+82,000	---	---
House Democratic Steering Committee	(579,000)	(644,000)	(644,000)	(644,000)	(+65,000)	---	---
House Democratic Caucus	(142,000)	(159,000)	(159,000)	(159,000)	(+17,000)	---	---
House Republican Conference	721,000	803,000	803,000	803,000	+82,000	---	---
Other Authorized Employees	1,182,000	1,295,000	1,182,000	1,182,000	---	-113,000	---

Technical assistant, Office of the Attending Physician	(59,000)	(59,000)	(66,000)	(66,000)	(+7,000)	(+7,000)	---
L.B.J. Interns and Former Speakers' staff	(1,012,000)	(1,134,000)	(1,014,000)	(1,014,000)	(+2,000)	(-120,000)	---
Miscellaneous items	(111,000)	(102,000)	(102,000)	(102,000)	(-9,000)	---	---
Total, salaries, officers and employees	54,529,000	59,996,000	35,561,000	35,561,000	-18,968,000	-24,435,000	---
Total, salaries and expenses	513,487,000	576,145,000	505,500,000	505,500,000	-7,987,000	-70,645,000	---
Total, House of Representatives	513,786,500	576,355,000	505,710,000	505,710,000	-8,076,500	-70,645,000	---
JOINT ITEMS							
Contingent Expenses of the Senate							
Joint Economic Committee	3,179,000	3,430,000	3,330,000	3,330,000	+151,000	-100,000	---
Joint Committee on Printing	1,037,000	1,199,000	1,143,000	1,143,000	+106,000	-56,000	---
Joint Congressional Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies of 1989	---	700,000	---	700,000	+700,000	---	+700,000
Total, contingent expenses of the Senate	4,216,000	5,329,000	4,473,000	5,173,000	+957,000	-156,000	+700,000
Contingent Expenses of the House							
Joint Committee on Taxation	4,219,000	4,500,000	4,346,000	4,346,000	+127,000	-154,000	---
Office of the Attending Physician							
Medical supplies, equipment, expenses, and allowances	1,493,000	1,414,000	1,414,000	1,414,000	-79,000	---	---
CAPITOL POLICE BOARD							
Capitol Police							
Salaries	---	---	25,673,000	52,922,000	+52,922,000	+52,922,000	+27,249,000
General expenses	1,734,000	2,189,000	1,887,000	1,887,000	+153,000	-302,000	---

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Technical Security Countermeasures Office							
Technical Security Countermeasures Office(by transfer)	---	---	---	(150,000)	(+150,000)	(+150,000)	(+150,000)
Reappropriation	---	---	---	500,000	+500,000	+500,000	+500,000
Total, Capitol Police Board	1,734,000	2,189,000	27,560,000	55,309,000	+53,575,000	+53,120,000	+27,749,000
Official Mail Costs							
Expenses	82,163,000	58,926,000	53,926,000	26,000,000	-56,163,000	-32,926,000	-27,926,000
Capitol Guide Service							
Salaries and expenses	1,137,000	1,220,000	1,220,000	1,220,000	+83,000	---	---
Statements of Appropriations							
Preparation	19,000	20,000	20,000	20,000	+1,000	---	---
Total, Joint items	94,981,000	73,598,000	92,959,000	93,482,000	-1,499,000	+19,884,000	+523,000
OFFICE OF TECHNOLOGY ASSESSMENT							
Salaries and expenses	16,901,000	18,321,000	17,505,000	18,203,000	+1,302,000	-118,000	+698,000

BIOMEDICAL ETHICS BOARD							
Salaries and expenses	100,000	---	---	---	-100,000	---	---
Reappropriation	150,000	---	---	---	-150,000	---	---
Total, Biomedical Ethics Board	250,000	---	---	---	-250,000	---	---
CONGRESSIONAL AWARD BOARD							
Congressional Award Program	189,000	---	---	---	-189,000	---	---
CONGRESSIONAL BUDGET OFFICE							
Salaries and expenses	17,886,000	18,900,000	18,361,000	18,361,000	+475,000	-539,000	---
ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL							
Office of the Architect of the Capitol							
Salaries	5,925,000	7,236,000	6,532,000	6,532,000	+607,000	-704,000	---
Contingent expenses	48,000	100,000	100,000	100,000	+52,000	---	---
Total, Office of the Architect of the Capitol	5,973,000	7,336,000	6,632,000	6,632,000	+659,000	-704,000	---
Capitol Buildings and Grounds							
Capitol buildings	12,793,000	21,180,000	15,471,000	15,471,000	+2,678,000	-5,709,000	---
Capitol grounds	3,404,000	3,911,000	3,771,000	3,771,000	+367,000	-140,000	---
Senate Office Buildings	23,265,000	38,459,000	---	24,086,000	+821,000	-14,373,000	+24,086,000
House Office Buildings	30,547,000	32,910,000	28,895,000	28,895,000	-1,652,000	-4,015,000	---

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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Capitol Power Plant	26,533,000	26,855,000	26,735,000	26,735,000	+202,000	-120,000	---
Offsetting collections	-1,950,000	-1,950,000	-1,950,000	-1,950,000	---	---	---
Net, Capitol Power Plant	24,583,000	24,905,000	24,785,000	24,785,000	+202,000	-120,000	---
Total, Capitol buildings and grounds	94,592,000	121,365,000	72,922,000	97,008,000	+2,416,000	-24,357,000	+24,086,000
Total, Architect of the Capitol (except items in Title II)	100,565,000	128,701,000	79,554,000	103,640,000	+3,075,000	-25,061,000	+24,086,000
LIBRARY OF CONGRESS							
Congressional Research Service							
Salaries and expenses	43,022,000	47,889,000	44,684,000	44,684,000	+1,662,000	-3,205,000	---
Speaker's Civic Achievement Awards Program							
Expenses	---	680,000	---	---	---	-680,000	---
Total, Library of Congress	43,022,000	48,569,000	44,684,000	44,684,000	+1,662,000	-3,885,000	---

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE							
Congressional printing and binding	70,359,000	77,700,000	72,000,000	72,000,000	+1,641,000	-5,700,000	---
Total, title I - Congressional Operations	1,195,253,500	1,319,447,200	830,773,000	1,196,757,200	+1,503,700	-122,690,000	+365,984,200
TITLE II - OTHER AGENCIES							
BOTANIC GARDEN							
Salaries and expenses	2,221,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	+300,000	---	---
LIBRARY OF CONGRESS							
Salaries and expenses	143,866,000	164,189,000	152,647,000	153,042,000	+9,176,000	-11,147,000	+395,000
Authority to spend receipts	-5,000,000	-5,000,000	-5,000,000	-5,000,000	---	---	---
Net, Salaries and expenses	138,866,000	159,189,000	147,647,000	148,042,000	+9,176,000	-11,147,000	+395,000
Copyright Office, salaries and expenses	19,061,000	20,173,000	19,697,000	19,697,000	+636,000	-476,000	---
Authority to spend receipts	-7,931,000	-8,034,000	-8,034,000	-8,034,000	-103,000	---	---
Reappropriation	150,000	---	---	---	-150,000	---	---
Net, Copyright Office, salaries and expenses	11,280,000	12,139,000	11,663,000	11,663,000	+383,000	-476,000	---
Books for the blind and physically handicapped, salaries and expenses	36,186,000	37,692,000	36,474,000	36,474,000	+288,000	-1,218,000	---
Furniture and furnishings	5,816,000	3,575,000	3,381,000	3,381,000	-2,435,000	-194,000	---
Total, Library of Congress (except items in Title I)	192,148,000	212,595,000	199,165,000	199,560,000	+7,412,000	-13,035,000	+395,000

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					1988 appropriation	Budget estimate	House allowance
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL							
Library Buildings and Grounds							
Structural and mechanical care	6,741,000	8,975,000	7,500,000	7,500,000	+759,000	-1,475,000	---
COPYRIGHT ROYALTY TRIBUNAL							
Salaries and expenses	662,000	637,000	633,000	633,000	-29,000	-4,000	---
Authority to spend receipts	-533,000	-510,000	-510,000	-510,000	+23,000	---	---
Net, Salaries and expenses	129,000	127,000	123,000	123,000	-6,000	-4,000	---
GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE							
Office of Superintendent of Documents, salaries and expenses	19,162,000	26,800,000	13,731,000	13,731,000	-5,431,000	-13,069,000	---
(By transfer)	(5,500,000)	---	(11,424,000)	(11,424,000)	(+5,924,000)	(+11,424,000)	---
Total, Government Printing Office (except Congressional printing and binding)	19,162,000	26,800,000	13,731,000	13,731,000	-5,431,000	-13,069,000	---
GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE							
Salaries and expenses	329,847,000	393,864,000	346,339,000	348,139,000	+18,292,000	-45,725,000	+1,800,000

Total, title II - other agencies.....	550,248,000	644,882,000	569,379,000	571,574,000	+21,326,000	-73,308,000	+2,195,000
Grand total:							
New budget (obligational) authority.....	1,745,501,500	1,964,329,200	1,400,152,000	1,768,331,200	+22,829,700	-195,998,000	+368,179,200
Appropriations.....	(1,745,201,500)	(1,964,329,200)	(1,400,152,000)	(1,767,831,200)	(+22,629,700)	(-196,498,000)	(+367,679,200)
Reappropriations.....	(300,000)	---	---	(500,000)	(+200,000)	(+500,000)	(+500,000)
(By transfer).....	(5,500,000)	---	(11,424,000)	(11,574,000)	(+6,074,000)	(+11,574,000)	(+150,000)
RECAPITULATION							
TITLE I - CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS.....	1,195,253,500	1,319,447,200	830,773,000	1,196,757,200	+1,503,700	-122,690,000	+365,984,200
TITLE II - OTHER AGENCIES.....	550,248,000	644,882,000	569,379,000	571,574,000	+21,326,000	-73,308,000	+2,195,000
TITLE I - CONGRESSIONAL OPERATIONS							
Senate.....	337,314,000	377,303,200	---	340,677,200	+3,363,200	-36,626,000	+340,677,200
House of Representatives.....	513,786,500	576,355,000	505,710,000	505,710,000	-8,076,500	-70,645,000	---
Joint Items.....	94,981,000	73,598,000	92,959,000	93,482,000	-1,499,000	+19,884,000	+523,000
Office of Technology Assessment.....	16,901,000	18,321,000	17,505,000	18,203,000	+1,302,000	-118,000	+698,000
Biomedical Ethics Board.....	250,000	---	---	---	-250,000	---	---
Congressional Award Board.....	189,000	---	---	---	-189,000	---	---
Congressional Budget Office.....	17,886,000	18,900,000	18,361,000	18,361,000	+475,000	-539,000	---
Architect of the Capitol (except Library buildings and grounds).....	100,565,000	128,701,000	79,554,000	103,640,000	+3,075,000	-25,061,000	+24,086,000
Library of Congress:							
Congressional Research Service.....	43,022,000	47,889,000	44,684,000	44,684,000	+1,662,000	-3,205,000	---
Speaker's Civic Achievement Awards Program.....	---	680,000	---	---	---	-680,000	---
Congressional printing and binding, Government Printing Office.....	70,359,000	77,700,000	72,000,000	72,000,000	+1,641,000	-5,700,000	---
Total, title I - congressional operations.....	1,195,253,500	1,319,447,200	830,773,000	1,196,757,200	+1,503,700	-122,690,000	+365,984,200

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF NEW BUDGET (OBLIGATIONAL) AUTHORITY FOR FISCAL YEAR 1988 AND BUDGET ESTIMATES AND AMOUNTS RECOMMENDED IN THE BILL FOR FISCAL YEAR 1989—Continued

[Amounts in dollars]

Item	1988 appropriation	Budget estimate	House allowance	Committee recommendation	Senate committee recommendation compared with (+ or -)		
					1988 appropriation	Budget estimate	House allowance
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
TITLE II - OTHER AGENCIES							
Botanic Garden	2,221,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	2,521,000	+300,000	---	---
Library of Congress (except items in Title I)	192,148,000	212,595,000	199,165,000	199,560,000	+7,412,000	-13,035,000	+395,000
Architect of the Capitol (Library buildings and grounds)	6,741,000	8,975,000	7,500,000	7,500,000	+759,000	-1,475,000	---
Copyright Royalty Tribunal	129,000	127,000	123,000	123,000	-6,000	-4,000	---
Government Printing Office (except congressional printing and binding)	19,162,000	26,800,000	13,731,000	13,731,000	-5,431,000	-13,069,000	---
General Accounting Office	329,847,000	393,864,000	346,339,000	348,139,000	+18,292,000	-45,725,000	+1,800,000
Total, title II - other agencies	550,248,000	644,882,000	569,379,000	571,574,000	+21,326,000	-73,308,000	+2,195,000
Grand total, new budget (obligational) authority	1,745,501,500	1,964,329,200	1,400,152,000	1,768,331,200	+22,829,700	-195,998,000	+368,179,200